

Higher Education Model

Problem Statement

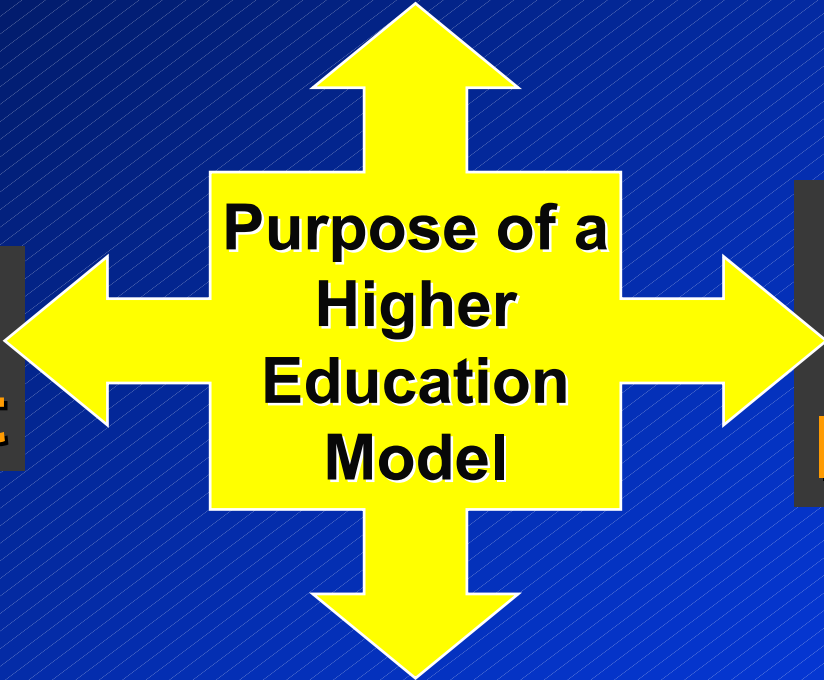
- There is a need for a shared definition or model for higher education in fire and emergency services degree programs.

(Include: Challenges from Wingspread I & II, *America Burning*, *America Burning Revisited*, *America at Risk*, FEMA Blue Ribbon Report)



Individual

**Purpose of a
Higher
Education
Model**



**Fire
Department**

**Higher
Education
Institutions**

**Community
Public
Safety**



Higher Education Model

Basic FF &
EMS Skills

Advanced
FF & EMS

Specialized
Skills

Officer & Career
Development

Multi-Risk
Interagency

Executive
Development

Training Centered
Education Preparation
Suited for Certification

Education Centered
Applied Training
Suited for Certification

Strategic
Decisionmaking
Centered

Associates Degree

Bachelor's Degree

Master's Degree

Allied Professions, Doctoral Programs, Supporting Disciplines

Time

